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Our Case No. 9281-4198

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yuji Yanagisawa)
Serial No. 09/967,298) Examiner: D. Yuan
Filing Date: September 28, 2001) Group Art Unit No.: 1745
For: Battery with Protection Circuit for Preventing Malfunction)

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.